

# Where to Go.. What to Do..

## Realty Board Boasts New Sales Record

The multiple listing service of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors broke all records for sales during the month of January, according to President Delbert Vaughn.

A sales total of \$1,686,100 more than doubled last year's total, the previous record.

February sales totaled nearly half a million dollars during the first week, Vaughn said.

Four-year January sales: 1958, \$138,400; 1959, \$476,672; 1960, \$682,375; and 1961, \$1,686,100.

Bi-focal spectacles were invented by Benjamin Franklin.

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PRIME RIBS  
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EXOTIC FOOD  
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PACIFIC COAST HWY. AT THE FOOT OF PALOS VERDES HILLS

A Great Intrigue

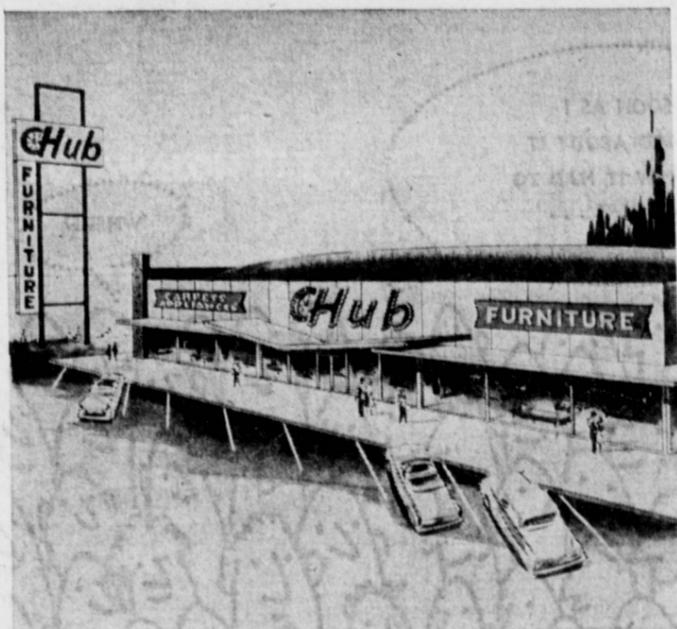
Where is **STEAK DIANE?**

It is not on our menu—yet this rare treat can be prepared at your table if you but ask.

**Plush Horse Inn**

1700 SOUTH PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY  
FRONTIER 8-6222

Oliver C. Barthold, general manager



**CELEBRITY NIGHT . . .** Friday night will be "Celebrity" night at Hub Furniture's new Torrance store, Dick Lane, well-known Southland television star, and other famous TV personalities will be on hand along with Mayor Albert Isen, Torrance councilmen, and other local dignitaries. Activities will begin at 7:30 p. m.

## Hub Furniture Opens Torrance Store; its 15th in Southland

Keeping pace with the rapid development of the area, the Hub Furniture Co. has just opened a tremendous new store in Torrance to serve the needs of the Torrance, South Bay, and Harbor communities. The new store is located at 23855 Hawthorne Blvd., near the Pacific Coast Hwy. Grand opening celebration will begin this week end.

## Air Force Puts Stress on Plan For Collegians

In an attempt to meet the increasing demand for young officers to fill key executive positions, the Air Force has placed emphasis on its Officer Training School Program for college graduates.

The program, open to both male and female college graduates, provides the opportunity for qualifying applicants to obtain a commission as an Air Force second lieutenant upon completion of a three month training course.

According to Master Sergeant James P. LeFevre, Local Air Force Recruiter, college seniors are not required to wait until graduation to apply. Applications may be submitted up to 135 days prior to graduation but in no case will acceptance be final until after graduation.

To qualify, an applicant must be between 20½ and 27½ years of age; a U. S. citizen; of excellent moral character; and meet the prescribed mental and physical standards. Female applicants must be single with no dependents but this restriction does not apply to male applicants.

Detailed information of the Officer Training School Program may be obtained through the local Air Force Recruiting office at 1319½ Sartori Ave. or by calling Sgt LeFevre at FA 8-1404.

Officers of the California Highway Patrol enforce traffic laws on more than 81,000 miles of rural roads and highways in the state.

tail furniture stores. The Torrance store is a brand new modern building just erected by the Hub organization, and contains almost 20,000 square feet of floor space plus an adjoining parking lot.

**IT IS THE** largest home furnishing store in the community, and features an unusually large selection of furniture, carpeting and appliances of all famous makes.



LEE A. MELLEN  
Soldier of the Month

## Son of Local Couple Given Army Honors

Sp 4 Lee A. Mellen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mellen of 21326 Caroldale Ave., has been chosen as Soldier of the Month at Fort Mason, Calif.

Specialist Mellen entered the Army from Los Angeles in November 1957. After completing basic training at Fort Ord, he attended a school at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., for training as a Dental Technician. He later served in that capacity at Fort Eustis, Va., and in Korea before coming to Fort Mason, where he is assigned to the Dental Clinic.

The Soldier of the Month is chosen on the basis of soldierly bearing, military courtesy and knowledge of military subjects.

Specialist Mellen and his wife Judy, a former member of the Women's Army Corps, reside in San Francisco.

offered — modern, contemporary, traditional, maple and early American. Like all the stores in the Hub chain, the Torrance store will specialize in outfitting complete homes of all sizes.

**CHRIS LEKO**, formerly of Hub's Compton store, is now manager of the Torrance location. A long-term veteran of the Hub organization, Chris is well experienced in catering to the home furnishing need of Southland residents. Chris and his entire staff of salesmen and home decorators extend a cordial invitation to area residents to drop in and get acquainted.

The store is open from Monday to Friday, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., Saturday 9 to 7 and Sunday noon to 6.

Today, Hub is a household word throughout Southern California, and the opening of the Torrance store extends Hub services and values to still another Southland community.

## Torrance High Students Get Break Today

Torrance High School students will get a slight respite from classes this afternoon and again next Thursday, but their teachers won't.

Classes will be dismissed at 2 p. m. today and again next week on Thursday so members of the faculty can review and edit a draft of the instructional staff section of an appraisal report to the California Assn. of Secondary School Administrators.

**MARINELAND RESTAURANT** SUPERB FOOD OPEN DAILY  
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POPULAR PRICES AT YOUR  
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Phone DA 3-7162  
FOOD "TO GO"  
**ROMERO'S**  
Mexican Restaurant  
17236 Crenshaw Blvd., Torrance  
Open 11 to 11. Fri. & Sat. till 1 A.M. Closed Tues.

## Garden Checklist

Recommendations for easy-to-use sprays and spray equipment for small-scale family orchards are given in the Spring Farm Quarterly magazine.

A few practical do's and don'ts:

1. Always use fresh chemicals.
2. Follow recommended strengths. (Higher concentrations will burn the tree.)
3. Spray to cover each leaf top and bottom.
4. Never spray when the temperature is over 90 degrees.
5. Avoid windy days. (When leaves start moving in the breeze it is too windy for spraying.)
6. Don't spray when it is uncomfortably humid.
7. Many sprays are deadly poison. Keep them out of children's reach.

## Public Apathy Gives Criminal The Edge . . . District Attorney

Undermanned police departments and public apathy combine to give the modern criminal a big edge, District Attorney William B. McKesson declared yesterday.

Citing the Los Angeles Police Department as an example, District Attorney McKesson said this police force, one of the finest in the nation, has been understrength for years.

"RECRUITMENT is a constant problem," he explained, "and Chief Parker and his men operate under severe handicaps. Not only do they lack enough men — their force is far below the size of other big city police forces — but certain court decisions have burdened ridiculous restrictions on the police officer trying to do his job."

Uniformed officers, however, are not the only answer, McKesson continued.

"There must be cooperation from the citizens as well," he said.

"THIS IS the age of blame. People lay the blame for our increased crime situation on one segment of society or another. The blame cannot be placed in any single place because there is no one thing that causes crime. So we must

work together as a team to prevent crime."

McKesson said a serious threat to law enforcement was any show of disrespect for law on the part of parents before children.

McKesson said public indignation must replace public apathy toward such things as pornography and narcotics, that citizens should stop feeling they can do nothing about government, and that the public should assume its proper vital responsibilities.

When giving the baby a sun bath, keep his face turned away from the sun. Bright, direct sunlight could harm the child's eyes permanently.

Pointed objects, falls, and hard blows cause nearly 80 per cent of eye injuries among children. Teach your youngster to play safely.

**PLAY 'IT'S IN THE BAG' WITH CHEF MILANI**  
STAR OF KTLA-TV & KMPC-RADIO  
★ **IN PERSON** AT **FOX MARKETS**

20900 HAWTHORNE BLVD.  
THURSDAY and FRIDAY  
FEBRUARY 16 and 17  
FROM 3 P.M. TO 5 P.M.

**Chef Milani Recommends**

FARMER JOHN WIENERS	Western Flavor! 1 lb. Pkg.	49¢
FELS NAPTHA DETERGENT	Heavy Duty Large Pkg.	33¢
FELS NAPTHA LIQUID DETERGENT	With Lanolin "D" 22 oz. can	65¢
OH BOY FROZEN DINNER SPAGHETTI	With Meat Balls 14 oz. tray	59¢
DAPA JOE WINE VINEGAR	4 1/2 Gallon Size Bottle	19¢
RY-KRISP	9 oz. Pkg.	27¢
MINUTE LYONNAISE POTATOES	General Foods 4 1/2 oz. Pkg.	35¢

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12-OZ. CANS  
**6 CAN PAK 79¢**

**FOX**

TORRANCE—20900 Hawthorne Blvd.  
GARDENA—Van Ness and Rosecrans  
TORRANCE—182nd & Arlington TORRANCE—1321 Post Ave.